IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:

generating means for generating one or more PlayList files specifying a sequence of reproducing [[an]] information recorded on a recording medium, and generating a management information file supervising said one or more PlayList files; and

recording means for recording said one or more PlayList files and said management information file, on said recording medium;

said management information file containing a resume PlayList file name information[[;]] which that indicates a name of a particular PlayList file at a time point of completion of playback which is based on said particular PlayList file whose playback has been terminated; and

said particular PlayList file containing [[a]] temporal information on [[said]] a time point of completion the termination of the playback of the particular PlayList file.

2. (Currently Amended) An information processing method comprising:

a step of generating one or more PlayList files specifying a sequence of reproducing [[an]] information recorded on a recording medium, and generating a management information file supervising said one or more PlayList files; and

a step of recording said one or more PlayList files and said management information file on said recording medium;

said management information file containing a resume PlayList file name information; which that indicates a name of a particular PlayList file at a time point of completion of playback which is based on said particular PlayList file whose playback has been terminated; and

said particular PlayList file containing [[a]] temporal information on [[the]] a time

point of ~~completion~~ the termination of ~~reproduction which is based on said playback~~

~~designation information~~ the playback of the particular PlayList file.

3. (Currently Amended) A recording medium having recorded thereon a computer-

readable program that when executed by a processor causes the processor to perform steps

comprising:

a generating step of generating one or more PlayList files specifying a sequence of

reproducing [[an]] information recorded on a recording medium, and generating a

management information file supervising said one or more PlayList files; and

a recording step of recording said one more PlayList files and said management

information file on said recording medium;

said management information file containing a resume PlayList file name

~~information; which~~ that indicates a name of a particular PlayList file ~~at a time point of~~

~~completion of playback which is based on said particular PlayList file~~ whose playback has

been terminated; and

said particular PlayList file containing [[a]] temporal information on [[the]] a time

point of ~~completion~~ the termination of ~~reproduction which is based on said playback~~

~~designation information~~ the playback of the particular PlayList file.

4. (Canceled)

5. (Currently Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:

a playback mechanism configured to reproduce main information from a recording

medium having recorded thereon one or more PlayList files specifying a playback sequence

of said main information and a management information file supervising said one or more

PlayList files[[,]]; and

control means for controlling a playback of the main information on said recording

medium based on said management information file containing a resume PlayList file name

~~information which~~ that indicates a name of a particular PlayList file ~~at a time point of~~

~~completion of playback which is based on said particular PlayList file~~ whose playback has

been terminated, said particular PlayList file containing [[a]] temporal information on said

time point of ~~completion~~ the termination of the playback of the particular PlayList file.

6. (Currently Amended) An information processing method comprising:

reproducing a main information from a recording medium having recorded thereon

one or more PlayList files specifying a playback sequence of said main information and a

management information file supervising said one or more PlayList files ~~said method~~

~~comprising~~; and

a control step of controlling a playback of the main information on said recording

medium based on said management information file containing a resume PlayList file name

~~information which~~ that indicates a name of a particular PlayList file ~~at a time point of~~

~~completion of playback which is based on said particular PlayList file, and performed in~~

~~accordance with said~~ whose playback has been terminated, ~~and on~~ said particular PlayList file

containing [[a]] temporal information on [[said]] a time point of ~~completion~~ the termination

of the playback of the particular PlayList file.

7. (Currently Amended) A recording medium having recorded thereon a computer-

readable program that when executed by a processor causes the processor to performs a

method comprising:

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reproducing a main information from a recording medium having recorded thereon one or more PlayList files specifying a playback sequence of said main information and a management information file supervising said one or more PlayList files ~~said method comprising~~; and

a control step of controlling a playback of the main information on said recording medium based on said management information file containing a resume PlayList file name ~~information which~~ <u>that</u> indicates a name of a particular PlayList file ~~at a time point of completion of playback which is based on said particular PlayList file, and performed in accordance with said, and on said~~ <u>whose playback has been terminated,</u> said particular PlayList file containing [[a]] temporal information on [[said]] <u>a</u> time point of ~~completion~~ <u>the termination</u> of the playback <u>of the particular PlayList file</u>.

8-23. (Canceled)